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Honorable James H. Welsh Commissioner of Conservation Office of Conservation P. O. Box 94275 Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-4275

Re:

Application for a Public Hearing

Hayes Zone, Reservoir A Cibicides Hazzardi Sand

Crowley Field

Acadia Parish, Louisiana

Dear Commissioner Welsh:

Application is hereby made on behalf of HILLIARD PETROLEUM, INC., for the calling of a public hearing, after legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the Hayes Zone, Reservoir A, and the Cibicides Hazzardi Sand, Reservoir A, in the Crowley Field, Acadia Parish, Louisiana, for the establishment of rules and regulations for single drilling and production units for the exploration for and production of oil and gas from the Hayes zone, Reservoir A, and the Cibicides Hazzardi Sand, Reservoir A, in the Crowley Field, Acadia Parish, Louisiana, said units to be designated HAYES RA SUA and CIB H RA SUA:

- To establish rules and regulations and create a single drilling and production unit for the exploration for and production of oil and gas in the Crowley Field, Acadia Parish, Louisiana, said unit to be designated HAYES RA SUA.
- To establish rules and regulations and create a single drilling and production unit for the exploration for and production of oil and gas in the Crowley Field, Acadia Parish, Louisiana, said unit to be designated CIB H RA SUA.
- To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the proposed units with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
- 4. To designate Hilliard Petroleum, Inc., as operator of the proposed units.
- 5. To designate a unit well for the proposed Hayes Zone, Reservoir A, and a unit well for the proposed Cibicides Hazzardi Sand, Reservoir A.
- 6. To provide that any future wells, replacement and/or alternate unit wells drilled to the units proposed herein, should be located in accordance with the spacing provisions of Statewide Order No. 29-E.
- 7. To authorize the Commissioner of Conservation to reclassify the reservoirs by supplemental order without the

necessity of a public hearing if the producing characteristics of the reservoirs change and evidence to justify such reclassification is submitted to and accepted by the Commissioner of Conservation.

8. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Hayes Zone, Reservoir A, in the Crowley Field, Acadia Parish, Louisiana, is hereby defined as being that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between the depths of 11,880 feet and 12,040 feet. electrical log measurements, in the Crown Central Petroleum Corp.-J. Baronet No. 1 well located in Section 9, Township 10 South, Range 1 East.

The Cibicides Hazzardi Sand, Reservoir A, in the Crowley Field, Acadia Parish, Louisiana, is hereby defined as being that gas and condensate bearing sand encountered between the depths of 11,550 feet and 11,600 feet. electrical log measurements, in the Falcon Seaboard.-Jules Baronet, Jr. No. 1 well located in Section 9, Township 10 South, Range 1 East

Pertinent data, including well logs, may be obtained AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY from Frank W. Harrison, Jr., P. O. Box 51943, Lafayette, Louisiana, 70505, Telephone Number (337) 232-4031.

A pre-hearing conference was tentatively scheduled to be held on February 18, 2004 at the Petroleum Club of Lafayette, located at 111 Heymann Blvd., Lafayette, Louisiana, 70503. This conference was not held since no interested owner or represented party requested the conference. No opposition to the proposals is expected at the hearing.

Attached hereto and made a part hereof are plats outlining the applicant's proposals and a list of the names and addresses of the Interested Owners, Interested Parties, and Represented Parties to whom a copy of this notice is being furnished. Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, such list of parties is being furnished only to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Lafayette District of the Office of Conservation. The list of parties will be provided to any party requesting a copy of it. A reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Interested Parties, and Represented Parties.

Finally, enclosed is our check on behalf of the applicant, in the amount of \$1,510.00, <u>made payable to the</u>

Office of Conservation representing the required hearing application fee.

Very truly yours.

Frank W. Harrison, Jr.

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Interested Parties and
Represented Parties







